

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1882.

THE NATION OF THE FUTURE.

The question—What is to be the Hawaiian Nation of the Future?—is one that should interest every person whose home and property are here. It is a problem, too, that may very properly demand the attention of legislators in the enactment of laws, especially as concerning immigration and naturalization. First there is the purely native Hawaiian element, the easiest governed, most docile abiding race on the face of the earth, which, having for many years shown a rapid decrease in numbers, begins now to give signs of a turn in the tide, or at least, of having arrived at a stand-still. Next in point of numbers is the Chinese, almost equalling in numbers the natives, nearly all males, industrious and thrifty, gradually but surely worming themselves into possession of the land and usurping the pursuits of the natives, while as a rule, they send their earnings to China. The Portuguese, if we continue to bring them hither by the shipload, will ere long rival the Chinese in numbers, but they are a vastly different sort of people. Equally industrious, and probably as thrifty in the aggregate as the former, the Portuguese is a Christian by education and a marrying man by practice. He comes to stay, to invest his gains here, and he makes a desirable addition to our population. Then comes the Anglo-Saxon element—Americans and British, with a considerable sprinkling of Germans, holding in their hands the wealth, and consequently the balance of power. A few South Sea Islanders and other nationalities, will conclude the present classification. But should the advocates of an immigration from the East Indies succeed in bringing hither a considerable number of Hindus, with their peculiar customs and manners and their Brahmin and Mahomedan religions, and we should also get some Japanese with their Shintooism,—just consider, what a mixture we should be, and,—what is to be the Hawaiian Nation of the Future?

The opening ceremonies of the Loan Exhibition for the benefit of the building fund of the Library and Reading Room Association, will take place on Monday evening at 7½ o'clock, with a concert by the Band, and an address by S. B. Dole, Esq. His Majesty the King has signified his intention to be present. The pictures, statuary, curiosities, coins, and articles of natural history, &c., &c., will comprise a collection well worth more than one visit; so that it will be advisable to purchase season tickets, price \$2, whereby one can spend an hour each day for a whole week, in examining these novelties. Single admission 50 cents, children half price. Tickets at J. W. Robertson & Co's.

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POLYNESIA ENCAMPMENT,
No. 1, I. O. O. F. The regular sessions of the Encampment will take place this Friday Evening, at 7:30 o'clock.
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LEGISLATIVE.

Among the petitions presented yesterday was one from Waiakua, on this island, praying that the tabu be taken off the sale of intoxicating drinks to natives; to offset this, there were several other petitions asking for a prohibitory law to apply to everybody.

Hon. Mr. Nawahi of Hilo, offered a resolution appropriating \$50,000 in aid of the construction of a railroad in that district, which was referred to the appropriate Committee. Several other resolutions, for various public improvements, were presented and similarly disposed of. Notice was given of a bill to forbid any further sales by the Minister of the Interior of government lands. The member remarking that instead of selling those lands, they should be leased to the highest bidder.

The proposed amendments to the Constitution came up, having been passed at the session of 1880, and now to be finally passed or rejected, under Article 80. The first of these was amending Article 61, in regard to the qualifications of Representatives, increasing that of property, from \$500 to \$2000 in value, and that of income from \$250 per annum to \$1000. This was indefinitely postponed, by a swinging vote of 32 to 9; nine members absent or not voting. The other proposed amendment was to Article 56, and provides for an increase of the pay of Representatives, from \$250 for the session to \$500. Our readers may perhaps be surprised to learn that this was adopted, 34 ayes to 6 noes; 10 absent or not voting. Among the noes were Representatives Gibson, Brown, Kamakele and Aiwohi. This amendment, however, does not take effect until 1884.

Rumors are afloat on the street of prospective Ministerial changes; but we can find no other foundation for them than an unreasoning desire for change on the part of a few, with whom the wish is father to the thought. But there is no telling what the Legislators may do, when once they get warmed up to their work.

Hawaiian Tribe No. 1, Imp. O R M., meets at the Wigwam, Fort st., this sleep, at the 7th run, 30th breath.

The Post Office receipts for the year last past were \$27,411, almost double those of the previous year.

The Minister of the Interior in his Report to the Legislature, suggests the advisability of a city government for Honolulu.

It is seldom that the port of Honolulu is so bare of foreign shipping as it has been for more than a week past—only two square-riggers, a ship and a brig, at the wharves. There are due now—bark Stella, from New York; brigantines W. H. Meyer and W. G. Irwin, barkentines Eureka and J. A. Falkenburg, barks Kalakaua and Carbarien and schr Anna, all from San Francisco; and schr Julia, from South Sea Islands.

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Garbled Reports in the Daily Pacific Commercial Advertiser of the Proceedings in the Legislature.

The reply to the King's Speech contains the following paragraph: "But we beg to submit that such families should be, indeed, not only congenial to our soil, climate and institutions but to our people."

The Minister of Foreign Relations asked for an explanation of this paragraph, as most persons on reading it would understand it to mean that the King had not said anything in his speech about the families to be imported being congenial to our people, and that this paragraph of the reply was intended to remind him of it. The Hon. Walter Murray Gibson answered for the Committee who drafted the reply as submitted to the House, and said that the Committee desired merely to emphasize the expression in the Royal Speech. The Minister of Foreign Affairs then said if that was the case he had nothing more to say, but certainly the paragraph could be and would be read as if His Majesty had said nothing in his speech about bringing families congenial to our people, whilst that was precisely what His Majesty did say.

Now the report in the *Daily Pacific Commercial Advertiser* of the 4th inst. makes the Minister of Foreign Affairs say on this point. "The sentence 'congenial to our soil and climate' seemed to imply that His Majesty had not already said so. But His Majesty had mentioned this, and he desired an explanation."

It is perhaps in some respects hardly necessary to call attention to this complete misrepresentation of what the Minister of Foreign Affairs said on this point, for every one in the House who understands English knows that he said nothing of the kind.

This garbled report however gives the impression that an equivocal sentence having been pointed out in the reply to the King's Speech, the *Daily Pacific Commercial Advertiser* falsified the report of what the Minister said on the subject, in order that the equivocal nature of the sentence in the reply might escape further notice. "Can the Ethiopian change his skin or the Leopard his spots?"

MR. EDITOR:—In reading the reports of the Agent of the Board of Health of the mortality of this district, one month after another, one is struck by the number who die unattended by any physician. And it occurs to me that it would be a good idea, on several accounts, to keep a record of the names of the physicians who do attend on those that die. Of course the physicians themselves would not object to such a record, if kept, being published for general information. PHILIP-MEDICO.

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The biennial Report of the Minister of the Interior to the Legislative Assembly of 1882, consisting of some sixty pages, octavo, is an important and interesting document. It has evidently been prepared with no little care, and the contents, referring in detail to Receipts and Expenses, Public Works, the Surveyor General's and Land Office, Water Works, the Post Office, Honolulu Fire Department, Prisons, &c., &c., are methodically arranged and made easy of reference. We shall refer to it again.

The consumption of Awa root appears to be on the increase among the people. The receipts for licenses to sell Awa for the year ending March 31, 1882, amounted to \$10,906.

There will be a meeting at Engine Co. No. 2's rooms (not at the Bethel Vestry, as before mentioned), this evening, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of re-organizing the Order of Good Templars in this city. All are invited.

The "mass meeting" in favor of prohibition last evening was very largely attended, and was a decided success. The speakers were able and eloquent, and apparently spoke to hearers in full sympathy of sentiment.

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Sugar, Rice, Iron,
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Machinery, and
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CARTAGE—On all sugar and rice, 25 cts per ton of 2000 lbs., within the following boundaries:

Pakaka warehouse,
Steamer shed and the City Front, on a line of the above named warehouse.

Also from Brewer's wharf to the Fishmarket wharves.

From Esplanade to the Queen street wharves,

37½ cts per ton.

All sugar and rice to be delivered on the wharf and not on the vessels' rail, as formerly. If delivered on the vessels' rail 37½ cts per ton.

Coal, bagged, 37 1-2 cts per ton, 2340 lbs " loose, 50 cts.; or any part thereof. Lots of coal over 50 tons, 40 cts a ton Carting and piling coal, per agreement Bricks \$1 per 1000

" pressed, \$1.50 per 1000
Lime or Cement 37 1-2 cts a load;
Merchandise to bond 37 1-2 single load " from bond 50 cts

" to the island steamers and schrs, 50 cts single load
Molasses 37 1-2 cts single load
General merchandise, exclusive of the above clause, 37 1-2 cts load or ton

Including the following boundaries —Beretania, Alakea and Maunakea streets and City Front,

Iron and machinery 50 cts load or ton Extra-heavy machinery and safes as per agreement.

Lumber 50 cts per 1000
Posts 1-3 cent each
Shingles 50 cts per 10,000

Rubbish and dirt 50 cts single load
Boats 75 cts each
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Wood 50 cts cord
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